## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME **UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

**Docket Number** 

Q116798 Confirmation Number **FY 2009** 6451 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).) Application Number 10/560,539 Filing Date June 19, 2006 **BIODEGRADABLE STENTS** For Art Unit 3734 **Examiner Name** SHUBERT, CHRISTOPHER This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): <u>Fee</u> **Small Entity Fee** \$65.00 One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$130.00 Two month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$490.00 \$245.00  $\square$ Three month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1110.00 \$555.00 \$980.00 Four month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1730.00 \$865.00 \$2350.00 \$1175.00 Five month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))  $\square$ **Previous Payment Amount** \$130.00 Date Submitted April 25, 2011 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  $\square$ Payment by credit card. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, or  $\sqrt{\phantom{a}}$ credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 19-4880. applicant/inventor I am the assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).  $\square$ attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 26,577 attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 WASHINGTON OFFICE 23373 CUSTOMER NUMBER June 23, 2011 Date (202) 293-7060 Joseph J. Ruch, Jr. Typed or printed name Telephone Number Note: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

 $\square$ Total of 1 form is submitted.